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In the application of:

Dr. David H. MCDANIEL

Serial No.: Unassigned  
(Divisional of 09/203,178)

Filing Date: February 15, 2001

For: **PROCESS FOR INHIBITING  
ACTIVITY, REDUCING SIZE &  
DESTROYING GROWTH OF  
SEBACEOUS GLAND**

Examiner: To be assigned

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**PETITION TO CLARIFY APPLICATION STATUS**Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The present petition is to clarify that the above-referenced application is a divisional application, and not a CPA. This application in addition to the applications entitled "Process for Treatment of Psoriasis" and "Process for Stimulating Hair Growth", which were also filed on February 15, 2001 are divisional applications as stated in the body of the transmittal forms, and not CPAs as erroneously stated in the heading of the transmittal form.

Accordingly, applicant requests that a filing receipt with the filing date of February 15, 2001, and a serial number for the divisional application be promptly issued. Attached is a copy

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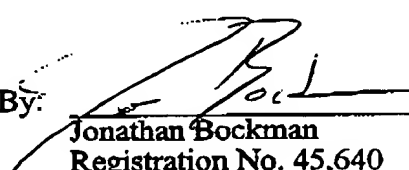
of the divisional application as filed and the postcard verifying the filing of the application on February 15, 2001.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Papers enclosed:

- ☒ Petition to Clarify Application Status (2 pages)
- ☒ Copy of Divisional application as filed on February 15, 2001
- ☒ Copy of postcard dated/stamped February 15, 2001
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**Re: U.S. Divisional Application (Divisional of 09/203,178)**  
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**For: PROCESS FOR INHIBITING ACTIVITY, REDUCING SIZE &  
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**By: Dr. David H. MCDANIEL**  
**Attorney Docket: 509582000210**

As you requested earlier today, attached is a copy of the Petition to Clarify Application Status as filed on June 4, 2001 in connection with U.S. Patent Application

Please contact me if you require further information.